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## WALLACE SPEAKS ON TUESDAY

County Agriculturalists To Attend Meeting At Capital City's Junior High School

Farm leaders of El Dorado County will go to Sacramento Tuesday morning to attend a meeting at the California Junior High School in that city, at which Henry A. Wallace, Secretary of Agriculture, will be a principal speaker.

Those who plan to attend the meeting are being advised that the California Junior High School is at Vallejo Way and Land Park Drive and may be reached by driving south on Sixteenth to Y Street, thence crossing Y street and continuing on Land Park drive for a few blocks.

Definite information as to the subject of the address by U. S. Secretary of Agriculture Wallace has not been announced.

Word from the AAA offices at San Francisco today disclosed the subjects of addresses by Administrator H. R. Tolley of the AAA and George E. Farrell, AAA Western Division Director. Mr. Tolley will discuss the "AAA Program in California. Mr. Farrell will speak on "New Farm Legislation."

"We do not believe that it is necessary to emphasize the opportunity this meeting affords to gather information on agricultural adjustment programs," states D. B. Parker, secretary of the California State Agricultural Conservation Committee, from Berkeley headquarters. "We feel that all farmers who are sincerely interested in the welfare of agriculture should hear the secretary discuss the problems confronting farmers and his ideas pertaining to the solution of these problems."

## Ted Atwood On Eastern Trip

Returns In About Two Months To Become Associated In El Dorado Insurance Agency

Ted Atwood left Sunday on the Southern Pacific's streamliner for a visit of about two months in eastern states.

About six weeks of that period will be spent at Hartford, Conn., at the main offices of the Travelers Insurance Company where Ted will prepare himself to become an associate with his mother, Mrs. Marion Atwood, in the El Dorado Insurance Agency.

"We are very much pleased that this opportunity has come to Ted," Mrs. Atwood said. "The training he will get in the six-week school at the Travelers headquarters will be the equal of several years of practical experience in the business."

But, it is written that "all work and no play makes Jack a dull boy" and Ted will combine pleasure with business on his trip east. His plans were to stop in Chicago, at Buffalo and at New York City, and he had hopes of being able to visit with Dr. Lowell Rantz, at Cambridge, and Mr. and Mrs. David A. Gregg, the latter the former Virginia Thompson, of this city, at Nashua, New Hampshire.

On the return trip, Ted will take the southern route and spend some time in Washington and also at New Orleans.

## T. J. ARUNDEL'S DAUGHTER WED SATURDAY AT SACRAMENTO

An event of interest to El Dorado County residents who recalled that T. J. Arundel was in business here a number of years ago, is the announcement of the marriage on Saturday of Miss Pearl Arundel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Arundel, and William J. Hunt, Jr.

Mr. Hunt, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hunt, Sr., of Sacramento, is a graduate of Sacramento schools and the University of California and is employed with the state department of agriculture.

The service was performed on Saturday evening in the parlors of the First Methodist church, the Rev. A. Raymond Grant officiating. Following a reception at the church parlors for eighty friends and relatives the couple left on a week's trip and will make their home, on their return, at Sacramento.

## Tuesday Will Be A General Holiday

Tuesday, February 22, the 206th anniversary of the birth of George Washington, will be observed as a general holiday by offices and business concerns in Placerville.

Classes will be held as usual at the county high school and also at Placerville grammar school. There will be no issue of this newspaper.

Federal, state, county and city offices will observe the day under terms of a city ordinance, certain Placerville stores are forbidden to open and others will voluntarily close for the day. The Placerville Branch of the Bank of America also will be closed.

## SHELL OPENS NEW SERVICE STATION

Virgil F. Avansino Joins Ranks Of Distributors With Plant On Broadway

Today, announcement is made by Virgil Avansino, former El Dorado County man and major league baseball player who recently returned from southern California, of the opening of his new, modern Super-Shell Service Station, located in Broadway Street, which is the main Pony Express Route, about one half mile east of the Pioneer Grocery at the Alex Revaz property.

Mr. Avansino states that this new service station unit which is identical in appearance with many of the Shell Oil Company units, cost in the neighborhood of \$5000 to build and equip. It provides a large drive-in front and is equipped with three of the most modern pumps for dispensing gasoline. Crankcase service and lubrication will be a service to the motorists of this county. Auto accessories will be placed in stock in time for the coming tourist season, it was said by the owner.

Although Mr. Louis Armes, local manager of the Shell Oil Company has been working with Mr. Avansino in getting the place in readiness for the opening, it was pointed out that the station is independently owned by Virgil Avansino and is not a unit of the Shell Oil Company. However, Shell products are handled exclusively by the new station.

Prior to returning to this county, which is his home, Mr. Avansino had been in the employ of the Shell Oil Company in Southern California for the past ten years, in the capacity of district sales manager. In 1921-22-23 Virgil was a baseball player with St. Louis Cardinals of the Major League. In making the announcement of the opening of this new business in Placerville Mr. Avansino invites the public to inspect the station and for his old friends to drive in and renew acquaintances.

## COMMERCE CHAMBER WILL HOLD FEBRUARY MEET TONIGHT

The regular February meeting of the county Chamber of Commerce will be held tonight at Hotel Raffles at 8 o'clock.

In addition to the usual order of business, special interest will attach to a discussion by President Reuel Whigham of a plan by which he hopes the chamber of commerce may more truly serve the interests of the entire county.

The plan was tentatively approved at a meeting of the chamber of commerce directors in January.

## Rev. And Mrs. Smales Are Reappointed

Although their year's work at the Placerville Church of the Nazarene does not expire until June, the Rev. and Mrs. C. P. Smales have been asked by the congregation of the church to continue their ministry in Placerville another year.

Action of the congregation was taken at a business meeting Sunday morning and Rev. Smales, speaking for himself and for Mrs. Helen Smales, who also is a minister, has accepted the call to continue their ministry in this field.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Madigan and son, George, were up from Sacramento Sunday and spent the day at snow sports with the Barker families.

## GIRLS' DINNER MARCH 11

Annual Mothers'-Daughters' Banquet At High School Has Marilyn Rupley, Chairman

The date for the annual Mothers' and Daughters' banquet at El Dorado County high school was announced Monday morning as being March 11.

As is traditional, the occasion will be an evening affair and this year general arrangements are in the care of a committee of which Miss Marilyn Rupley is general chairman.

The committee hopes that the inconvenience which was notable at the dinner last year may be eliminated this year through the prompt purchase of tickets. Fifty-eight more persons attended the dinner last year than had purchased tickets.

This was no fault of the committee in charge but resulted on some inconvenience despite their earnest and sincere efforts to overcome the obstacle.

Tickets for the dinner this year go on sale Wednesday morning, February 23, and will continue on sale until March 9. There will be no sale of tickets at the door. It is hoped that all who plan to attend will obtain their tickets early.

Mothers who desire to "borrow" daughters for the evening may arrange to do so if they will communicate with the high school office during the week of February 28 to March 4.

## Mrs. Clifton Stricken

Placerville Lady Called Suddenly While Visiting Relatives In Oregon

Mrs. Belle L. Clifton, wife of Clarence Clifton, of Placerville, passed away Sunday morning at Medford, Oregon, following a brief illness. She had gone there only recently to spend some time with relatives.

The body will be returned to Placerville and funeral services at 2 o'clock on Thursday. Rev. Harold G. Morehouse will have charge.

Mrs. Clifton was born at Modesto in 1887 and had spent a part of her earlier life in Oregon, being a member of the First Baptist Church and of the Order of Eastern Star at Central Point, Oregon.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by her mother, Mrs. Bennett, and by two sons and a daughter by a former marriage. They are Clyde and Clifford Peart and Mrs. Gordon Tidwell, and one brother and one aunt, all of Medford, Ore.

## FIVE FEARED LOST IN AMERICAN RIVER BOAT TRIP

SACRAMENTO, (UP)—Fears of their friends for the safety of five Sacramentans who spent Sunday boating on the American River had faded at an early hour today to return to their homes led the Sacramento County sheriff's office to dispatch a patrol boat to search the lower river today.

The five, all residents of Sacramento, are Virgil Reeves, signpainter and owner of the boat; Harry Balstar, 27, employed in the state controller's office; Ted Leonard, 30, employed in the state highway department; Virginia Roy, 28, employed with the state unemployment reserves commission; and LaVerne Mallott, also a state employee.

They left their homes early Sunday for a boating excursion on the American River and were last seen Sunday afternoon about 4 o'clock near the sixteenth Street bridge across the river.

Their continued failure to appear at their homes caused friends to fear for their safety.

## Missouri Flat Center To Meet On Friday

The regular meeting of the Missouri Flat Center will be held at the Missouri Flat school on Friday evening. The program will include a discussion by Roy Marks, county recreational chairman for the Farm Bureau, on the development of a recreational program for the various centers.



**MANN ACT**—Rev. Cecil Everett Chapman, 29-year-old evangelist, of Lincoln, Neb., charged in St. Louis, Mo., with violation of the Mann Act. Arrested with the minister at Union, Mo., was Wanda Pinson, 15, after a five-week flight from her home in Lincoln. Chapman met the girl when he stayed at her parents' home, while his wife and child visited in Ontario, Canada.

## COUNTY P. T. A. IN DISTRICT PROGRAM

Mrs. Lloyd Austin To Direct Health Discussion At Meeting In Sacramento Wednesday

El Dorado County Parent-Teacher members hold a prominent place on the program for the meeting of the Third District of P. T. A. which will open Wednesday morning at the Oak Park clubhouse, 33rd Street and Fifth Avenue, Sacramento, at ten o'clock.

The district executive board will meet half an hour earlier.

El Dorado County's share in the program comes in the forenoon at 10:45 o'clock under the direction of Mrs. Lloyd Austin, seventh vice-president of the district and chairman of the section on health.

In addition to Mrs. Austin's remarks, talks are scheduled by Mrs. Martin Luther on "Physical Education," by Mrs. Charles Doe on "Mental Hygiene" and "Social Hygiene," and by Mrs. Percy McNe on "The Summer Round-Up."

Following luncheon, the district observance of Founders' Day will open at 1:15 o'clock.

Mrs. Horace G. Dunn, president of the Placerville P. T. A., reports that there will be a number of the local unit in attendance and it is hoped that representatives of other Parent-Teacher groups in the county will also arrange to be present.

## Chief Of Foresters To Visit March 1st

Members of Court Confidence No. 117, Foresters of America, are preparing for a special occasion on the night of March 1st when Chief Ranger J. H. Gallagher will pay his official visit to Placerville.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Allen and Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Allen and family spent Sunday afternoon at Sacramento, noting the damage done in the Capital City in the recent "big show."

## Rainfall

July	.00
August	.00
September	.00
October	1.85
November	4.91
December	7.72
January	5.75
Feb. 1	1.50
Feb. 2	.56
Feb. 3	2.43
Feb. 4	1.02
Feb. 5	.43
Feb. 6	.13
Feb. 7	.17
Feb. 8	.95
Feb. 9	.95
Feb. 10	1.86
Feb. 11	3.14
Feb. 12	.44
Feb. 13	.77
Feb. 14	.32
Feb. 15	.10
Feb. 16	.30
Feb. 17	.20
Feb. 18	.20
Feb. 19	.20
Total	35.05
The normal to March 1 is	28.12 in.

## WEATHER

Partly cloudy, unsettled tonight and on Tuesday; high, 58; low 31.

## So The People May Know

A public hearing upon a proposed building code for the city of Placerville will be held at the City Hall at 7:30 o'clock tonight.

A proposed code or an ordinance covering the proposed code was discussed at a meeting of builders at the City Hall last Thursday night and it is presumed the group outlined some suggested enactment which will be the basis of discussions tonight.

The Republican's principal interest in the proposal at this time is that as large a number as is possible of the voters may be informed that a hearing on the matter will be held tonight.

It is hoped that the voters of the community will attend the meeting to the end that they may learn fully and at first-hand the nature of the proposition on which the hearing is called and may determine for themselves whether its adoption will be advantageous to our community.

## County Basketball Title At Stake On Tuesday Night

The county basketball league winds up Tuesday night at the high school auditorium with the 20-30 Club scrapping the Cougars for championship honors.

As a preliminary, the Native Sons' team of the county league will play an exhibition game with the High School B team and the Red and White will meet the American Legion.

The Cougar unlimited five and the Twenty-Thirtians qualified for the

championship match in an elimination series last week in which the high school topped the Red & White stores five by four points while the Clubmen slipped over a two-point win on the American Legion quintet.

The high school five will be defending a championship won last year and the 20-30 team will be as determined to win the play-off game, to bring to the club its first basketball championship.

## Davis Group To Visit In City

Dinner At 6 O'Clock Will Welcome Delegation For 2-Day Stay In Placerville

Approximately thirty young people of the Davis Community Church, at Davis, are expected to arrive in Placerville for a dinner at the El Dorado County Federated Church at 6 o'clock tonight, opening a two-day young people's conference.

The program will include a Tuesday afternoon snow frolic, following which the delegation will return to their homes at Davis.

Following the dinner tonight, there will be a program of entertainment at the church followed by a song service during which the Rev. W. I. Williams, of the Davis church, will speak on "A Christian Discovers and Uses Great Unused Resources."

Tuesday morning there will be a 7:30 breakfast followed by a service at the church at which Miss E. Brookmiller will speak on the subject, "We Explore Great Biographies" following a recreational period Rev. Harold Morehouse will speak on the topic: "A Christian Can Change and Grow."

Following luncheon, the group will depart for the snow sports area, planning to return to Placerville in time for refreshments and to start the journey homeward about 4:30 o'clock.

## PLACERVILLE LIONS TO MEET WEDNESDAY FOR LUNCHEON

The regular meeting of the Placerville Den of Lions, ordinarily held on Tuesday noon at Hotel Raffles, will be held on Wednesday of this week, owing to Tuesday being a holiday.

The club will meet Wednesday noon at Hotel Raffles.

This is in accordance with action taken by the club several weeks ago in view of Tuesday being a general holiday in the county seat.

According to Lion Secretary Arthur Mart, the club has planned to devote the Wednesday meeting to a discussion of the coming annual club scholarship awards to be announced in June.

## CHINESE OFFENSIVE IN ANHWEI PROVINCE IS UNDER WAY

SHANGHAI, (UP)—Chinese forces defending the southern portion of the Tientsin-Nanking railway south of Hsuehchow started a general offensive today in Anhwei province.

The assault was believed undertaken in an attempt to divert attention of the Japanese from the drive in the west against Chengchow, junction of east and west Lunghai railroad and the Peiping-Hankow line.

A Japanese spokesman admitted that Chinese had attacked Tingyuan and Chihou, south of Pengpu, but claimed that both assaults had been repulsed.

Chinese troops north of the Yellow river meanwhile struck out to the west after China's longest bridge at Chengchow was blown up.



### *The Round Tent Store*



### FOUR FIREMEN INJURED AS SHIP KEELS OVER AT S. F. PIER

SAN FRANCISCO, (UP)—The British freighter Silverguava, partially destroyed by a fire in her hold, keeled over suddenly at pier 23 today, causing injuries to four firemen who were buried under falling sacks of flour.

The fire, apparently caused by spontaneous combustion, broke out in the ship's cargo. Forty eight longshoremen who were working in the vessel's No. 2 hold, fled to the docks. Fourteen pieces of fire apparatus and the city's two fireboats fought the flames.

Lester Frost, son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Frost, was home from U. C. over the week-end.



5 to 6 p. m.  
KFBK—Melody Puzzle; 5:30 Land of Whitsit; 5:45 Howie Wing.  
KROY—Brevities; 5:15 Eventide Echoes; 5:30 Organ; 5:45 Sign Off.

KSFO—National Defense; 5:15 Charlie Chan; 5:30 Casino; 5:45 Easy Aces.

KPO—Eddie Swarthout; 5:30 Trio.  
KFRC—Jack Westaway; 5:15 Morton Gould; 5:30 Howdy Wing; 5:45 Little Orphan Annie.

6 to 7 p. m.  
KFBK—Philadelphia Orchestra.  
KSFO—Radio Theatre.  
KPO—News; 6:15 Paul Martin; 6:30 Hour of Charm.  
KGO—See KFBK.

KFRC—Drama; 6:15 Phantom Pilot; 6:30 Frank Bull; 6:45 John B. Hughes.

7 to 8 p. m.  
KFBK—Known People; 7:15 Take the Air; 7:30 Burns and Allen.

KSFO—Wayne King; 7:30 Al White.  
KPO—Contented Program; 7:30 See KFBK.

KGO—Warden Lawes; 7:30 Forum.  
KFRC—The Marines Tell It; 7:30, Lone Ranger.

8 to 9 p. m.  
KFBK—Amon 'n' Andy; 8:15 Uncle Ezra; 8:30 Voice of Firestone.

KSFO—Scattergood Bains; 8:15 Boake Carter; 8:30 Pick and Pat.

KPO—See KFBK; 8:15 Uncle EZRA; 8:30 See KFBK.

KGO—Land of Whitsit; 8:15 Lum 'n' Abner; 8:30 Choir; 8:45 Revue.

KFRC—Promenade; 8:30 News; 8:35, Magnolia Blossoms; 8:45 Melodic Musings.

9 to 10 p. m.  
KFBK—Opportunity; 9:30 As a Man Should.

KSFO—Highlights; 9:15 Eddie Fitzpatrick; 9:30 Varieties; 9:45 Moon Casino.

KPO—Fibber McGee; 9:30 Opportunity Show.

KGO—Stanford University; 9:15 Dance; 9:30 see KFBK.

KFRC—News; 9:15 Red Norvo; 9:30 Scrapbook; 9:45 Kay Kyser.

### Bruins Victors In Ski Meet Held Sunday

LAKE ARROWHEAD, (UP)—University of California at Los Angeles defeated Santa Monica Junior College 300 to 239.5 in a two day skiing contest that ended yesterday at Keller Peak. UCLA won both the giant slalom and the relays.

### EARL WARREN ANNOUNCES CANDIDACY FOR WEBB'S POST

Earl Warren, District Attorney of Alameda county, today announced his candidacy for the office of Attorney General of California to succeed U. S. Webb, who has stated he will not seek re-election.

"I have decided to become a candidate for Attorney General to succeed U. S. Webb, our chief law officer, who has concluded not to seek re-election after thirty-six years of faithful service to the people of California," Mr. Warren said.

"It is non-partisan in character and I shall file for the Republican, Democratic, and Progressive nominations, first resigning my position as Republican National Committeeman. If elected, I will perform my duties in an impartial manner, and, by assisting all state and local law enforcement officers, will endeavor to coordinate their activities to the end that California may become the safest place in America in which to live."

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Garrick were visitors at Manteca Sunday.

### U. S. FOREIGN POLICY UNCHANGED BY DEVELOPMENTS

By LYLE C. WILSON  
United Press Staff Correspondent  
WASHINGTON, (UP)—United States foreign policy, based primarily on low-tariff economies and "good neighbor" relationships but dominated just now by a big navy defense program, stands unchanged today by spectacular European political events. Officials do not care to comment beyond that on the big diplomatic week-end.

Reichsfuehrer Adolf Hitler's re-statement of Nazi expansion aims should not, however, have surprised the state department in view of reports understood to have been submitted by William E. Dodd before he resigned as United States ambassador to Germany.

Dodd's reports, possibly discounted by the state department because of his anti-Nazi sympathies, are believed to have fixed the limits of Hitler's European ambitions considerably beyond the scope of Der Fuehrer's address yesterday to the Reichstag in Berlin.

Dodd's appraisal of German aims became public today through a member of the house foreign affairs committee before which the former ambassador to Germany recently appeared in secret session. The member, who requested that his name not be revealed, told the United Press that Dodd described a plan by which Germany and Italy plan to carve out a new "Holy Roman empire" on the continent and in north Africa.



TO WED—Ishbel MacDonald, official hostess at 10 Downing Street when her widowed father was Great Britain's Prime Minister, thereby being second only to Queen Mary in ladies of the Empire, who is to wed Norman Ridgley, handyman, gardener and village drummer in the Buckinghamshire hamlet of Speen, where he manages the Plox Inn. Miss MacDonald is 35.

### Missourian Nominated For Maritime Board

WASHINGTON, (UP)—President Roosevelt today nominated Max O'Rell Truitt of Missouri to be a member of the U. S. maritime commission, filling the vacancy caused by resignation of Joseph P. Kennedy to be ambassador to Great Britain.

### 25,000 MADE HOMELESS AS RIVERS FLOOD TWO STATES

LITTLE ROCK, Ark. (UP)—More than 25,000 men, women and children, routed from their lowland homes by icy flood waters, were scattered among refuge camps in southwestern Arkansas and southeastern Oklahoma today, many of them exposed to cold weather and endangered by pneumonia.

Red Cross disaster workers were rushed from Washington to the stricken areas of Arkansas, where 5,000 families, representing 22,000 persons were homeless.

National guardsmen were out in Oklahoma directing airplanes, motorboats and ambulances along the deluged sections of the Arkansas and Red River bottoms, where other thousands had been forced to abandon their homes.

There was a forecast for rain and snow in southeastern Oklahoma today. P. K. Betts, Red Cross director from St. Louis, was in charge of relief work at Idabel, Okla., where 200 persons were quartered in the national guard armory and health authorities were fighting against an outbreak of pneumonia.

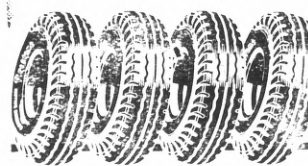
The President also nominated Joseph A. MacDonald of Alaska to be U. S. marshal for the fourth division of Alaska.

Justice of the Peace T. F. Lewis was able to be down town for a short while Monday morning following a siege of influenza which confined him at home Wednesday of last week.

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**CARD PARTY NOTICE**  
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Rainbow Card Party, Thurs., Feb. 24th, 8 p. m. at Masonic Hall. Refreshments and score cards 35c. 12ftc.

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**WARNS OF THIRD PARTY**—Governor George D. Aiken of Vermont, sometimes referred to as a Republican Presidential possibility, as he asserted at the Lincoln Day dinner of the National Republican Club, at the Waldorf-Astoria, New York, that Lincoln would be ashamed of the present leadership. He warned that if the leadership continued to fail the people, there would be a permanent third party soon.

## PARADE OF SPORTS

By HENRY McLEMORE  
(United Press Staff Writer)

NEW YORK, (U)—You won't find their works in the best-seller lists or on those fascinating little charts whose fat black dots show what the nation is reading. But I have an idea that if authors Henry Pierpont Edwards and William Ezekiel Brands were to release their books to the general public they soon would outsell Northwest Passage of the Citadel, and Edwards and Brandt would become the lions of a million literary teas.

Henry Pierpont Edwards and William Ezekiel Brandt are the paid biographers of the American and National baseball leagues, respectively. No Boswell ever followed a Johnson more closely than these do the sixteen teams which compose their leagues. And no Pepys ever recorded the important and the trivial more faithfully than do Henry Pierpont and William Ezekiel.

At the present time these two literati are feuding, but it is a constructive feud which increases the power of their works. It started last year when Brandt brought out a magnificent volume, bound in two-tone green cardboard, listing every known fact about the National League. It was acclaimed by the sports critics as the outstanding baseball tome since Abner Doubleday laid down his quill pen. In the future over "The Green Book," Edwards' slightly less comprehensive "Red Books" on the American League were completely overlooked.

To his intimates Edwards, a bit hurt, said:

"Just wait until next year, and I will produce a volume that will make Brandt's book as ineffective as the pennant winner in his league is against our champion in the world series."

Two weeks ago Brandt's 1933 book came off the presses and after studying its contents those of us who remembered Edwards' boast of the year be-

Mrs. Malcolm Dixon and Mrs. Annie Skinner were Monday morning callers in the county seat from Rescue.

George Eberhard was in the county seat from his Penobscot Farm Monday morning.

fore, felt he was doomed to failure. William Ezekiel apparently had every possible scrap of information regimented into type. Here is only a partial list of his chapter headings: National league managers, 1876 to 1937; 20th century standing of clubs; 1937 final standings; 1937 standings at home and abroad; inter-club percentages for past 37 years and 1938 rosters; new players of all clubs; nationalities of all players; lifetime records of all players; the 1937 granary—statistical notes, and a hundred others.

For a National league baseball fan Brandt's book assumes the proportions of a bible.

Then, along came Henry Pierpont Edwards' 1937 Red Book.

His boast of last year was not an idle one. He has outdone even the mighty Brandt.

He has everything Brandt has—and one more thing.

Edwards, in a moment of sheer inspiration, conceived the idea of a chapter on "pronunciation of American League players' names."

What a boon! What a Godsend.

How many times, out in company, have I stumbled and felt uncertain when the twists and turns of conversation made it necessary for me to mention such players as Angelo Giulliana of St. Louis, Krakauskas of Washington, and William Rogell of Detroit.

Now my troubles are over. According to Edwards, Giulliana is pronounced "Julie-Annie." Krakauskas should roll off the tongue as "Craw-Cows-Kass," and Rogell as "Row-Gell. Row same as to row a boat."

And I'll bet you that you never knew Boston's Mr. Ostemueler should be addressed as "Ah-Ster-Mewier-accent on first syllable," or that Oscar Bluege of Washington was as simple as "Bloogy." That is if "Bloogy" is simple.

## LETTER BOX

### MEMORIAL TO MRS. RANTZ

Again the Angel of Death has entered our midst and this time taken our beloved, Lena Ann Rantz, who passed the border that separates time from eternity at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. A. Irving at Fruit Ridge, El Dorado County, Calif., on February 13, 1938.

These would be sad occasions, here and elsewhere, but for the hope of life eternal. We are told the truly good never die; but that they pass to life eternal. In that sweet thought we parted with our friend, believing that our loss is Heaven's gain and that she has entered into the glorious life where there will be no more parting and no more sorrows.

When they pass away—as did Lena Ann Rantz—much to the surprise of many of us, apparently in the full vigor of activity, we cherish their memories in high regard and deep affection, and we find many things in their lives, in their records here, in their aspirations and their achievements, which we do well to emulate in the tasks yet remaining for us to do.

We are no other than a moving row of magic shadow-shades that come and go.

Round with the sun-illuminated lantern held

In midnight by the Master of the glow.

### TATTOOED GIANT DIES IN SLEEP IN L. A. ROOMING HOUSE

LOS ANGELES, (U)—The body of a tattooed giant, five gorgeous butterflies etched across his brawny chest and a riot of design covering most all else but his brawny right arm, lay unclaimed in the morgue today.

Big Ben Corday, once the tallest man in the British army, and the tattoo king of Main Street's "skid row," died in his sleep in a dingy Japanese rooming house.

At 63 he was considerably shorter than seven feet six inches of which he boasted as a Boer war trooper. Morgue attendants, using a tape measure, found him six feet 10½ inches tall, and stooped with age.

Charles Rohrer was a caller from Summit district Monday.

### Blind Law Student Is Drowned Off Marin

SAN FRANCISCO, (U)—David Dale Clark, 25, a blind student of law at Hastings College, drowned yesterday off the shore of Marin county. Two others with him attempted futilely to save him. He was a graduate of Occidental College and previously attended Stanford.

### DR. TOWNSEND, 'THOUGH PARDONED, TO SERVE 30-DAY TERM

CHICAGO, (U)—Dr. Francis Townsend, originator of a \$200 a month old age pension plan, said today that he intends to serve a 30 day jail sentence for contempt of the U. S. Senate if offered a pardon by President Roosevelt. Townsend will leave for Washington tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Robinson and children were Sunday visitors with the former's parents near Oroville.

### LOUIS 5 TO 1 FAVORITE TO DEFEND CROWN ON WEDNESDAY

NEW YORK, (U)—Champion Joe Louis and challenger Nathan Mann will conclude training today for their 15-round heavyweight title fight Wednesday night in Madison Square Garden. Louis is a 5-1 favorite and virtually no betting is reported.

It will be the first time a champion has risked his heavyweight crown indoors since 1920 when Jack Dempsey put his title on the line against Bill Brennan. The Garden is scaled to draw \$133,000 and a sellout is virtually assured. With best seats priced at \$16.50, cash sales and advance orders already total nearly \$80,000.

### "Diapered Dictator" Born To MacArthurs

MANILA, (U)—A son was born today to Maj. Gen. Douglas MacArthur, U. S. A., retired, and Mrs. MacArthur, the former Marie Faircloth of Murfreesboro, Tenn.

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## Avansino Opens New Service Station in Placerville



Pictured above is Placerville's modern, new Shell Service Station, which has just been opened for business by Virgil F. Avansino, shown in the foreground (Right) receiving the hearty congratulations and best wishes for success from Louis Armes, local Shell Oil Company manager.

This new Supershell station is located on Broadway street, which is the main highway, the Pony Express Route, about one-half mile east of the Pioneer Grocery at the Alex Revas property.

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